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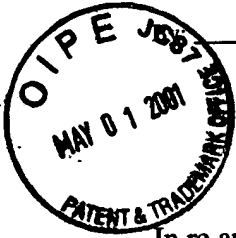
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Birgit Oppmann, et al.

Serial No.: 09/658,699

Filed: September 8, 2000

For: MAMMALIAN CYTOKINES;
RELATED REAGENTS AND
METHODS

Examiner: not yet assigned

Art Unit: 1632

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE
MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION -
FILING DATE GRANTED

Palo Alto, California 94304

April 27, 2001

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted" mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on January 5, 2001, enclosed are the following to be made of record in the above-identified application:

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney signed (in counterpart) by inventors Birgit Oppmann, Rene de Waal Malefyt, Donna M. Rennick, Robert A. Kastelein, Maria T. Wiekowski, Sergio A. Lira and Satwant K. Narula in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63;
2. a request for a two-month extension of time; and,
3. a copy of the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted."

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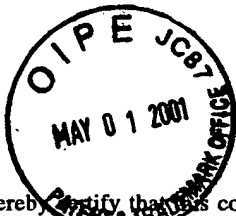
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- 30 1) Copy of this Transmittal (in duplicate)
2) Signed Declaration and Power of Attorney (two copies, signed in counterpart)
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**REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Palo Alto, California 94034

Date: April 27, 2001

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Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully request(s) the grant of a two-month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed January 5, 2001, in connection with the above-identified application, thus extending the time for response from March 5, 2001 to May 5, 2001.

The fee for extension is calculated to be:

☐ \$110.00, Fee Code 115 (for a one-month extension under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(1))

☒ \$390.00, Fee Code 116 (for a two-month extension under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(2))

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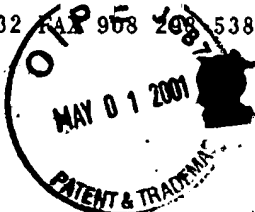
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.


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